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Ref: 4548-24597

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Post Office Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: Hearing Application
Heterostegina Zone, Reservoir A
FLORENCE FIELD
Vermilion Parish, Louisiana
Applicant: Playa Oil & Gas, LP

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, application is hereby made on behalf of **Playa Oil & Gas, LP** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Heterostegina Zone, Reservoir A, Florence Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

1. To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 645 acres for the Heterostegina Zone, Reservoir A, designated as the HET RA SUA, Florence Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, all as shown more particularly on the attached plat;
2. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the said units;
3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the units so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;
4. To designate a unit well and unit operator for the unit created herein;
5. To consider such other matters relating to the subject reservoir as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the public hearing.

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The Heterostegina Zone, Reservoir A in the Florence Field is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the measured depths of 12,959 feet and 13,800 feet (electrical log measurements) in the McAlester Fuel Co.-Robert D. Trahan No. 1 Well located in Section 4, Township 13 South, Range 1 West, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

In compliance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, a pre-application conference was held in Lafayette, Louisiana on December 13, 2006. Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a list of the names and addresses of the parties who were in attendance at that conference.

The conference was opened by Mr. B. J. Duplantis. Mr. Bill Dale of W. H. Robbins & Associates presented the plan of applicant. Questions were asked and answered. At the conference it was suggested that the unit line be moved to the southern section line. As a result of a further review of the well data and reconciliation of differences, the unit line was moved. There will be no opposition at the public hearing on this matter.

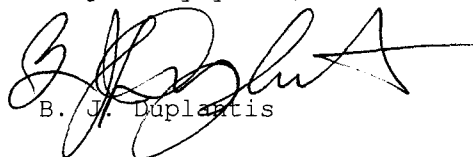
As provided in Rule 9 of the Revised Rules of Procedure of the Commissioner of Conservation, if a request is received, applicant will schedule a pre-hearing conference to discuss the revised application.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a revised plat outlining the HET RA SUA, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana, and a list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties to whom this notice is being sent. It is hereby certified that a reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties.

Any pertinent data relating to the proposed units can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Mr. Bill Dale of W. H. Robbins & Associates, 302 La Rue France, Suite 100, Lafayette, LA 70508 (337) 232-5004.

Finally, there is enclosed herewith our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$755.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,


B. J. Duplantis

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Attachments

cc: Mr. Richard D. Hudson
District Manager, Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties

